

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

SHIKISHA MONET TIDMORE,

Plaintiff,

vs.

JEREMY HOWARD,

Defendant.

2:22-CV-12048-TGB-CI

**ORDER DISMISSING HABEAS
PETITION AS MOOT**

On August 31, 2022, Petitioner Shikisha Tidmore filed a petition for a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254. ECF No. 1. On October 14, 2022, Respondent Jeremy Howard filed a suggestion of death informing the Court that Ms. Tidmore passed away on September 24, 2022. ECF Nos. 9, 9-1. To qualify for relief under 28 U.S.C. § 2254(a), a person must be “in custody.” As consequence of her untimely passing, therefore, Ms. Tidmore’s petition for a writ of habeas corpus must be **DISMISSED as moot.**

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 18, 2022

s/Terrence G. Berg

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE